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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## In Re Application of:

Carl Bader et al.

Serial No.: 09/594,524

Group No.: 2747

Filing Date: June 14, 2000

Examiner: Not yet assigned

For: AUDIO SYSTEM WITH OPTIONAL AUTO-SWITCHING SECONDARY CONNECTOR AND METHOD FOR SAME

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted" dated August 15, 2000, a response to which is due October 15, 2000, enclosed herewith for filing is:

- The original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by the inventor(s). An unexecuted copy of this document, attached to the above-identified specification, was filed by Express Mail No. EL567668912US on June 14, 2000.
- An Associate Power of Attorney is also enclosed.
- Request for Corrected Filing Receipt.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Statement previously submitted on @@.
- The original executed Statement Claiming Small Entity Status Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is filed herewith.
- A Statement Claiming Small Entity Status Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been forwarded to the Refund Section, Accounting Division, Office of Finance on @@. A copy of this Statement Claiming Small Entity Status form and the Request for Refund form is enclosed for your convenience.
- Request is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application of August 15, 2000 to and through January 15, 2001, comprising an extension of the shortened period of one months:

	SMALL ENTITY		NOT SMALL ENTITY	
	RATE	Fee	RATE	Fee
MISSING PARTS SURCHARGE	\$65	\$	\$130	\$ 130
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$55	\$	\$110	\$ 110
<input type="checkbox"/> TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$195	\$	\$390	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$445	\$	\$890	\$
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Applicant(s) has/have not been notified that the requested extension will not be permitted. The present application is not involved in an interference declared pursuant to 37 CFR 1.207.

Total fee required \$240.00

- A check in the amount of \$240.00 is attached to cover the surcharge. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3050.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3050. This sheet is attached in duplicate.

Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for presentation of extra claims.

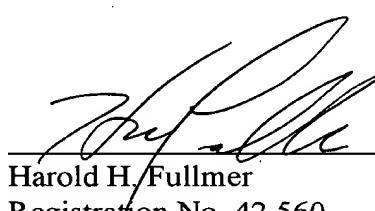
Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 and under 37 CFR 1.20(d).

The issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).

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This sheet is attached in duplicate.

Date: *Nov 15, 2000*

  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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